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WEEKLY DEPARTMENT STORE SALES - SELECTED CITIES AND AREASFOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
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Federal Reserve District		Percentage change from corresponding period a year ago (Based on retail dollar amounts)				
Area, and City		Week ending				6 mos. 1963
		Aug. 24	Aug. 17	Aug. 10	Aug. 3	
<u>UNITED STATES</u>		+ 9	+ 7	r+ 6	+ 5	+ 3
<u>Boston District</u>		+11	+11	+ 6	+ 8	+ 3
Metropolitan Areas						
Boston	Mass.	+10	+ 8	+ 4	+ 4	+ 3
Downtown Boston	"	+ 9	+ 5	+ 8	- 2	0
Suburban Boston	"	+10	+11	- 1	+11	+ 7
Cambridge	"	+ 3	+ 1	+ 2	+ 1	+ 4
Quincy	"	+ 8	+11	+ 3	0	+ 2
Lowell	"	+ 3	+ 9	0	- 8	-10
<u>New York District</u>		+ 8	+ 9	+ 5	+12	+ 3
Metropolitan Areas						
Buffalo	N.Y.	+21	+15	+ 3	+13	+ 7
New York-N.E. New Jersey	N.Y. N.J.	+ 7	+ 8	+ 5	+11	+ 3
Newark	N.J.	+ 7	r+ 4	+ 5	+ 5	+ 4
New York	N.Y.	+ 1	+ 1	+ 2	+ 3	- 3
Rochester	"	+ 7	+12	+ 6	+19	+ 6
Syracuse	"	+ 9	+11	+ 9	+ 4	+ 1
<u>Philadelphia District</u>		+ 1	r 0	+ 1	+ 3	- 3
Metropolitan Areas						
Wilmington	Del.	- 8	-19	r-10	- 3	+ 2
Trenton	N.J.	- 7	+23	+ 1	+13	+ 1
Lancaster	Pa.	+ 3	r+ 5	+11	- 3	0
Philadelphia	"	0	r- 1	0	+ 2	- 3
Reading	"	+15	+11	- 2	+10	0
Scranton	"	+16	+ 2	+ 8	+ 1	0
Wilkes-Barre-Hazleton	"	+ 8	+ 8	+ 4	+10	+ 5
<u>Cleveland District</u>		+15	r+ 6	+ 5	+ 5	0
Metropolitan Areas						
Lexington	Ky.	+22	0	+20	- 9	+ 3
Akron	Ohio	+13	+ 4	+ 6	+ 8	+ 2
Canton	"	+15	+ 2	+ 3	+12	0
Cincinnati	"	+18	+ 2	r+ 3	- 2	0
Cleveland	"	+20	+ 9	+10	+ 4	- 1
Downtown Cleveland	"	+ 1	- 4	- 6	- 8	- 5
Columbus	"	+ 9	+ 4	+ 8	+ 7	+ 4
Springfield	"	+19	- 2	+ 8	+ 8	+ 4
Toledo	"	+19	+ 7	+ 2	+ 6	+ 1
Youngstown	"	+10	+13	+ 9	+ 4	- 5
Erie	Pa.	+ 2	- 2	r- 6	- 3	- 1
Pittsburgh	"	+10	+ 7	0	+ 6	0
Downtown Pittsburgh	"	+ 6	+ 4	+ 2	+ 7	- 3
Wheeling	W.Va.	+ 4	+ 4	+ 1	+18	0

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<u>Richmond District</u>		+ 5	+ 4	+ 3	+ 1	+ 4
Metropolitan Areas						
Washington	D.C.	+11	+ 5	+ 5	+ 3	+ 8
Downtown Washington	"	+ 7	+ 2	+ 4	+ 1	+ 1
Baltimore	Md.	+ 7	+ 5	+ 4	+ 3	+ 3
Downtown Baltimore	"	+ 7	+ 4	+ 5	+ 1	+ 2
Richmond	Va.	- 8	- 1	- 3	-11	+ 2
<u>Atlanta District</u>		+ 9	+10	+12	+ 5	+ 7
Metropolitan Areas						
Birmingham	Ala.	-11	- 9	0	- 9	- 4
Mobile	"	- 3	+ 4	+ 1	+13	+12
Jacksonville	Fla.	+24	+19	+18	+ 5	+ 4
Miami	"	+12	+13	+18	+ 7	+ 8
Tampa-St. Petersburg	"	+26	+23	+22	+ 6	+ 7
Atlanta	Ga.	+ 8	+13	+10	+ 3	+ 6
Augusta	"	- 3	+ 5	+13	- 1	+ 4
New Orleans	La.	+ 4	+ 6	+ 5	+ 5	+ 9
Cities						
Miami Downtown	Fla.	- 4	- 2	- 4	-12	- 6
Central Atlanta	Ga.	+ 1	+ 6	+ 7	0	+ 1
<u>Chicago District</u>		+12	+13	+10	+ 5	+ 3
Metropolitan Areas						
Chicago	Ill.	+15	+18	+12	+ 5	+ 3
Indianapolis	Ind.	+ 4	+ 7	- 3	0	+ 4
Detroit	Mich.	+12	+14	+ 8	+ 9	+ 4
Grand Rapids	"	+15	+ 8	*	+ 2	- 1
Milwaukee	Wis.	+ 7	+ 9	+ 6	+ 1	0
<u>St. Louis District</u>		+10	+ 1	+ 3	+ 5	+ 4
Metropolitan Areas						
Little Rock	Ark.	+11	+ 2	+10	+10	+ 9
Louisville	Ky.	+17	+11	+ 4	+ 7	+ 3
St. Louis	Mo.	+ 9	- 2	0	+ 4	+ 3
Memphis	Tenn.	+ 5	0	- 2	+ 2	+ 5
<u>Minneapolis District</u>		+ 8	+ 2	+10	+ 6	+ 2
Metropolitan Areas						
Mpls.-St. Paul	Minn.	+ 8	+ 7	+ 8	+ 7	+ 3
Mpls. and Suburban	"	+ 8	+ 5	+ 6	+ 9	+ 6
Minneapolis	"	+ 5	+ 1	+ 1	+ 5	*
St. Paul & Suburban	"	+ 9	+10	+13	+ 2	- 3
Cities						
Duluth Superior	Minn.&Wis.	+ 1	+ 7	+ 3	+ 3	- 4

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<u>Kansas City District</u>		<u>+7</u>	<u>+4</u>	<u>+4</u>	<u>+2</u>	<u>+3</u>
Metropolitan Areas						
Denver	Col.	+12	+14	+8	+3	+4
Topeka	Kans.	-6	-6	-1	-5	-2
Wichita	"	+7	+1	+7	-10	0
Kansas City	Mo.-Kans.	+6	+2	+6	+3	+7
Downtown Kansas City	Mo.	+7	-3	-2	-4	-6
St. Joseph	"	-10	-16	+5	-1	-1
Lincoln	Nebr.	+5	0	+3	+5	+3
Omaha	"	+2	+2	+7	+1	+2
Albuquerque	N.Mex.	+14	+4	+9	+6	+7
Oklahoma City	Okla.	+7	+2	+1	+6	+4
Tulsa	"	+6	-1	-9	+6	+6
City						
Joplin	Mo.	+8	-5	+4	+2	+2
<u>Dallas District</u>		<u>+3</u>	<u>+4</u>	<u>+5</u>	<u>+4</u>	<u>+4</u>
Metropolitan Areas						
Dallas	Tex.	0	+3	+7	+1	+3
El Paso	"	-1	+5	+6	-3	0
Houston	"	+5	+4	+11	+8	+5
San Antonio	"	+6	+6	-3	-7	+6
<u>San Francisco District</u>		<u>+7</u>	<u>+3</u>	<u>+3</u>	<u>+2</u>	<u>+4</u>
Metropolitan Areas						
Los Angeles-Long Beach	Calif.	+10	+2	+7	+6	+7
Downtown Los Angeles	"	-5	+2	+1	-5	-2
Westside Los Angeles	"	+2	-2	r 0	+6	+1
Sacramento	"	+6	+10	+3	+4	+6
San Diego	"	+3	+1	+9	+3	+4
San Francisco-Oakland	"	+8	+9	+12	+7	+5
San Francisco	"	-1	+1	+4	-3	-1
Oakland	"	+2	+3	+1	+3	-2
San Jose	"	+7	+2	+5	+4	+4
Portland	Ore.	+8	-4	-4	+3	+3
Salt Lake City	Utah	+2	+2	-1	+3	+3
Seattle	Wash.	-5	-7	-20	-15	-8
Spokane	"	+13	+9	r-4	-1	-1
Tacoma	"	+20	0	-9	-15	-2

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